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Dear Sir:

I, Gladys H. Monroy, attorney of record in the subject patent application, hereby request that the Patent Office approve this request for withdrawal from representation of the applicant of the above-identified application. This request is being made in triplicate by the requester, Gladys H. Monroy, for herself and on behalf of all attorneys/agents of record, both past and present.

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To the best of the undersigned attorney's knowledge and belief, there are no outstanding actions in this application requiring response within the next 30 days.

Respectfully submitted,

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